

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**(UNDER 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c))**

Sir:

**37 CFR 1.97(b)**

1. ☐ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing of a national application other than a continued prosecution application under 37 CFR 1.53(d); within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, or before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114.

**37 CFR 1.97(c)**

2. ☒ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after the period specified in 37 CFR 1.97(b) provided that the Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311, or an Action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, and is accompanied by one of:

☐ the statement specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

**OR**

☒ the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

### **Payment of Fee**

The Director is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 502-665 the amount of \$180.00. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fee that may be required for this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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